

EARLY DAY TRAVEL

(Yeah. Well the Indians had to travel a long way in those early days. Didn't they?)

Oh yes. Yeah they would.

(Over the hill. Out across the mountain.)

Yeah they'd walk.

(Uh-huh)

Some walked. Some rode in wagons. Some on horseback. That's the way they went. Mostly walked.

(Uh-huh)

FATHER CAME FROM A LARGE FAMILY - LIVED WELL BY FARMING

In my young days. It's been some time back. As far as I can remember. I'll just give the fifty years back. Well I was ten or twelve or thirteen years old then. Anyway, mostly I can recollect, way back there, my grandma, my dad's mother. Lived down there where they called Spade Springs.

(Uh-huh)

And she had eight children. Seven daughters and a son. Had the name of the son was my dad.

(Yeah)

And he was the oldest one in the family.

(Hum--)

So our line over there where they lived--. Their farm--not too big a farm--. just a small farm. They raised their stuff. Right on that patch. They raised sweet potatoes and beans, cabbages. And they had oh a huge apple tree right in the yard. I don't know what they set it out or not. I don't know. Long time ago. I don't know. They had oh about five or six trees. Great big ones look like they old trees but they bear a lot of apples.

(Well)